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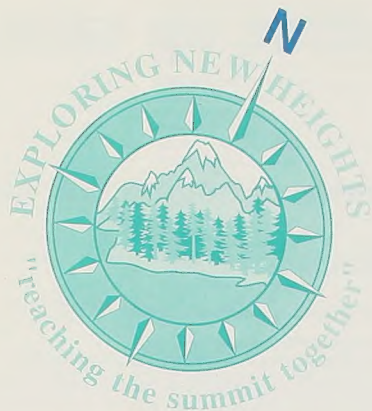
exploring new heights: reaching the summit together

Sunday June 16 to Wednesday June 19

The CACUSS '96 expedition, beginning its journey on Sunday, June 16, invites you to join the adventure in beautiful British Columbia.

We'll be exploring new heights in student affairs and services—a theme which borrows both from the adventurous spirit of explorer Simon Fraser after whom the site institution is named, and the University's unique location on top of Burnaby Mountain.

Your conference hosts include the British Columbia Institute of Technology, Camosun College, Douglas College, the Open Learning Agency, Simon Fraser University, the University of British Columbia, and the University of Victoria.



CACUSS '96



The key part of our Conference theme — "Exploring New Heights: Reaching the Summit Together" — is "together." The challenges and opportunities we face require us to work closely together in our search for the campus environment we seek for our students — one filled with challenges and opportunities for them to grow and develop and achieve their own goals. Such a campus environment would surely have a heightened sense of community, along with a clear purpose.

If we embrace our purpose, even as we are growing smaller and more constrained, we can find new heights for ourselves and our students. The challenges we face truly are opportunities, if we work together in seeking the best we can provide for our students. Over 50 people from British Columbia colleges and universities have been working hard to provide this opportunity for us all to explore new heights in our work together. We are excited about working with you on your next steps toward the summit.

Bill Stewart
CACUSS '96 Chair

fellow explorers



The most significant professional development event for student services in Canada is the annual CACUSS conference. Once again the organizers have prepared a world-class learning experience for our members and others. In addition to a strong program of formal presentations, the organizers have given us ample opportunity to make the personal contacts which are a hallmark of CACUSS conferences and which allow us to learn from the experience of others. One of the innovations at this year's conference is the use of daily themes which will help us to create a unified whole from diverse presentations. Whether you are a new professional or a CACUSS veteran this conference will provide you with a greater understanding of the issues which face our profession, and send you away with new tools for dealing with them. CACUSS '96 offers us an exceptional learning opportunity in a spectacular setting. I look forward to seeing you there.

Garth S. Wannan
CACUSS President

setting up camp

Sunday preconference workshops

9:00am-3:30pm

Student Affairs and Services Association (SASA)

Risk Management & Liability Workshop by the Canadian Universities Reciprocal Insurance Exchange

The morning session will feature speakers dealing with a variety of subjects, including legal liability issues arising out of the use and provision of facilities and hosting of events. As well, the workshop will examine accident prevention and reporting procedures, and will discuss other risk management related issues. The focus of the afternoon session will be on risk identification and will also include a walking tour of a section of the SFU Burnaby Mountain campus.

This is a must-attend workshop if you are involved in the use and maintenance of campus resources such as residences, recreation facilities and community space, or if you are concerned with the planning of events on campus.

Participation will be limited, so register early.

Cost: \$75 includes materials, lunch, and wellness breaks.

10:00am-3:00pm

Canadian University and College Counselling Association (CUCCA)

Navigating the Quagmire: Ethical and Legal Guidelines for Mental Health Professionals

by James R. P. Ogloff, PhD, R. Psych

This workshop which will deal with ethical and legal issues is based on an integrative problem-solving approach. Case examples, slides, and audience participation will be utilized throughout. The workshop will begin with a discussion of how legal and ethical issues arise. Participants will be given an overview of the relevant ethical guidelines (APA, CPA, provincial). A useful model for ethical decision-making will be presented, discussed, and used in an exercise to resolve an ethical dilemma.

The second half of the workshop will be devoted to specific legal issues. A portion of the final quarter of the workshop will be reserved for ethical concerns with special populations (e.g., children, captive populations, mentally incompetent people). At the end of the workshop, participants will be divided into small groups to employ the skills they acquired during the workshop.

Cost: \$90 includes materials and lunch.

12:00pm-3:30pm

Canadian Association of Financial Aid Administrators (CASFA)

Counselling Skills for Financial Aid Professionals

by Dr. Janet Heddesheimer and Ruth Bletzinger

Dr. Janet Heddesheimer of George Washington University and Ruth Bletzinger, Higher Education Consultant in Washington, DC are co-authors of "A Counselling Primer for Financial Aid Professionals." This workshop will be a lecture-style presentation, with videotape to illustrate key concepts/skills.

Cost: \$40

our guides

Monday 17th

Keynote Address

Sharon Wood

We are pleased to bring you Sharon Wood of Canmore, Alberta, the first North American woman to climb Mount Everest. Drawing from her climbing experiences, Sharon will highlight for us how combining the array of skills we bring to our work can equip us to face daunting challenges.



Tuesday 18th

CASFAA Featured Speaker

Martha Nixon

CASFAA presents Martha Nixon, Director General, Education Support/Student Assistance Branch of Human Resources Development Canada. Martha will offer insight on recent developments in the Canada Student Loan Program, other federal government student aid programs such as the Special Opportunity Grants, and new initiatives such as the Designation Policy.

SASA Featured Speaker

Patricia O'Hagan

SASA brings you Dr. Patricia O'Hagan, Harassment Policy Coordinator for Simon Fraser University. Patricia will describe how Harassment Policy Advisors can provide a support network across your campus to help stop and prevent harassment.

CUCCA Featured Speaker

Carolyn C. Larsen

CUCCA presents Carolyn C. Larsen, Senior Counsellor Emeritus at the University of Calgary. Carolyn will highlight the contributions from feminist therapy and ethics to the development of psychological theory and practice. She will explore some of the ethical, personal, and professional issues involved in overlapping relationships in post-secondary institutions and elucidate solutions for these dilemmas.



Wednesday 19th

Featured Speaker

Roslyn Kunin

Our final featured speaker is Dr. Roslyn Kunin, a futurist economist. Roslyn will focus on the changing economy and its impact upon student participation in post-secondary education and the implications for student affairs and services.

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session 1

Monday 10:15am-11:45am

Session 1H continues into Session Two and Three. Participants may attend one or all three.

1A Losing Federal Transfer Payments: Impact on Tuition and Students
Panel presentation on the impact on students resulting from the loss of federal transfer payments to provinces for post-secondary education. Panel will include politicians, a university president, and a student association president.

1B Pre-Hospital Management of On-Campus Emergencies
Presentation on the management of common medical emergencies in a semi-remote pre-hospital situation.

1C It Isn't a Straight Line: Career Counselling
Presentation on how career counsellors can use the results of a study of thirty successful university graduates to help their students make better and more natural career decisions and enjoy the process more.

1D Suicide on Campus: a Case Review of One of Counselling Services' Outreach Activities
Presentation of the steps taken by staff when a student who was not seeking counselling committed suicide. An exchange of strategies that participants have used for outreach activities when a death has occurred on their campuses will follow.

1E To Disclose or Not to Disclose: The Therapist's Search for an Answer
Presentation defining therapist self disclosure. It will outline a six-phase decision-making model focused on how to use self disclosure therapeutically.

1F Elders Program: Partnership in Action
Presentation addresses the process of developing and fostering ownership and partnership among diverse stakeholders for a Native Elders Services pilot project.

1G Strategic Planning
Overview of a visionary leadership and planning process and discussion of its application.

1H The Kaleidoscope Campus: Action or Apathy, Part I (continues in session 2H)
Session will address the impact of the changing demographic makeup of student populations and resulting questions about how students' needs can best be served in an increasingly international environment.

1I Childcare as a Student Support Service?
Exploration of the issues surrounding the full cost of quality in providing child-care services. Will include highlights of the 1995 BC White Paper on childcare.

1J Disability Policies at Canadian Universities
Review and discussion of policies at Canadian universities regarding students with disabilities.

1K Exploring how to Better Serve the Needs of Lesbian, Bisexual, and Gay Students
Presentation will include experiential exercises, brainstorming, and discussion of how discrimination against lesbian, bisexual, and gay students happens. Specific service needs of these students and ways in which to improve these services will also be discussed.

1L You Can Never Ask Too Many Questions
Presentation of practical ideas for integrating a research and assessment component into programs and services.

session 2

Monday 1:00pm-2:00pm

Session 2H continues into Session Three. Participants may attend one or both.

2A Working Together: Strategies for Financial Aid and Fundraising Offices
Presentation by a financial aid administrator and a representative of a development-

fundraising office on strategies for working together to attract and administer award endowments and donations.

2B Management of Stress
Review of the physiological signs and symptoms of stress and the psychological signs of strain. Discussion of behavioural and psychological techniques for coping.

2C Solution Focused Supervision: What's the Difference!
Discussion of the advantages of using a solution focused approach to counselling supervision in creating a richer learning experience for students.

2D Group Counselling for Socially Estranged College Students
Presentation focusing on a group counselling approach for academically-successful students who struggle socially. Emphasis will be on interpersonal relationships and family-of-origin issues.

2E Want a Learning Experience? Try Implementing a Student Services Fee!
Overview of student services fees at Canadian universities and a discussion of implications and management.

2F Holistic Education: a First Nations Perspective
Bob George, respected Elder of the Tsil-waututh First Nation (Burrard Indian Band) in North Vancouver and Resident Elder at the British Columbia Institute of Technology, will share his knowledge of First Nations education prior to European contact and encourage participants to provide holistic and culturally-appropriate services to First Nations students.

2G After the Homophobia Task Force: What's Next...
Review of the recommendations of York University's Task Force on Homophobia and Heterosexism and discussion of strategies for building institution-wide support for diversity.

2H The Kaleidoscope Campus: Action or Apathy, Part II, Student Services and Faculty (continued from session 1H)
Focus on Student Services and Faculty.

2I Career Planning for Students with Disabilities
Presentation of career planning for students with disabilities.

2J Understanding One Facet of Student Failure: the Self-Worth Theory of Achievement Motivation
Overview of a theoretical framework which combines the Need Achievement Theory (Atkinson 1957, 1964) and the Self-Worth Theory of Achievement Motivation (Covington & Beery, 1976; Covington & Omelchik 1984) to reveal insights into the behaviour of students who continue to enroll in community college courses despite academic failure.

2K Academic Survival Needs of Adult Women Re-entering College
Presentation of the results of an academic survival needs survey of re-entering adult women enrolled in a rural community college.

2L Panel of Graduate Students in Student Affairs and Services-related Programs
Discussion of several student affairs and services-related graduate programs.

session 3

Monday 2:30pm-3:30pm

3A Roundtable on Merit-based and Need-based Awards
Two short presentations on bursaries and entrance awards followed by discussion.

3B Computerized Health Assessment and Promotion
Overview of a computerized health assessment and promotion system.

3C Explorations of the Self: Presentation of a New Counselling Service Group Program
Presentation of a successful interdisciplinary counselling service group program to help students access and use their full potential in academic and personal situations.

3D Career Development for Generation X Students
Discussion of the characteristics of "Generation X" students and responses to their career development needs.

3E University Couples Exploring Issues and Concerns: Counselling Response
Discussion of issues and concerns identified in a brief survey of both clinical and non-clinical populations of university couples and counselling responses to these issues.

3F Exploring Women's Career Paths in Student Affairs
Panel of women working in various sectors of student affairs will discuss their career paths and their definitions of "success," relevant theory and research on topics such as success orientation, achievement issues, role conflict, and career decision-making will be highlighted, and group discussion will follow.

3G Coping with Organizational Change: Experiences at Several Canadian Universities
Review and discussion of how several student affairs and services organizations have coped with major organizational changes which have been initiated from outside the organizations themselves.

3H The Kaleidoscope Campus: Action or Apathy, Part III, Delegates' Perspective (continued from session 2H)
Group discussion of issues raised.

3I Research on Part-time University Student Characteristics, Educational Expectations, and Experience
Outline of research findings of a collaborative study on part-time university student characteristics, educational expectations, and experiences.

3J The Real World According to Joe: a Discussion about Student Culture
In-depth case study of "Joe," an unmotivated first-year student who, because of lack of interest in academic pursuits, would likely fall through the cracks. Emphasis on how approaches to students can be informed by understanding the culture in which they live.

3K Qui étudie en première année?
Découvrez comment l'Université d'Ottawa s'est mise à l'écoute de sa population étudiante entrante

3L Exploring New Heights: how ICES is meeting Client Needs
Presentation of an innovative option available to post-secondary institutions. The International Credit Evaluation Service will demonstrate how it can assist institutions in increasing the quality of credential evaluations while also making it possible to reduce costs

session 4

Tuesday 10:15 am - 11:45 am

**Peer Helper Day
Tuesday, June 18**

Beginning with a National Panel on "Current Issues in Peer Helping," Peer Helper Day will focus on the history, current challenges, and future directions of peer helping in Canada. The afternoon will feature break-out sessions highlighting peer helper programs across the country, and a show-and-tell room. A reception will end the day.

4A Q & A with Martha Nixon: Canada Student Loan Update
Opportunity for discussion with Martha Nixon and other senior Federal Government administrators.

4B Weight Management: What Works?
Presentation of the seven basic requirements necessary to achieve and maintain a healthy weight.

4C "Get Real"
Highlights of a teleconference addressing environmental barriers to healthy decision-making on campus. Discussion of ways to re-engineer health promotion programs to promote healthier students and a stronger campus.

4D Implementation of a Brief Therapy Model in a University Counselling Services
Examination of the process of implementing a Brief Therapy model for personal counselling. Discussion topics will include counsellor reactions and the impact on case loads and accessibility.

4E Discussion with CUCCA Featured Speaker Dr. Carolyn Larsen
Exchange of ideas about feminist perspectives on ethical issues.

4F How to Get Academic Credit for a Career Planning Course
Overview of a career planning course offered for academic credit. Discussion of the politics of obtaining academic credit and sharing of experiences at other institutions.

4G Duty to Accommodate Students with Disabilities
Overview of the legal aspects of duty to accommodate students with disabilities.

4H Tour of the SFU Children's Centre
A guided tour of the Simon Fraser University Children's Centre.

4I Realities of Integration: The Challenge of Diversity and International Students
Presentation on global movement and integration of ethnic communities, case studies of the experiences of a refugee student and an international student and overview of community resources.

4J Aboriginal Education in the Post-Secondary Setting
Brief historical overview and statistical analysis of Aboriginal education in British Columbia and discussion of systemic barriers and the accommodations post-secondary institutions can make. A brief analysis of labour-market demand for Aboriginal British Columbians will also be presented.

4K Reaching the Summit through Resident Assistant Performance Appraisals
Presentation describing the process for performance appraisal of resident assistants which integrates student development principles.

4L Alternative and Innovative Funding for Graduate Students
Presentation describing the Student Professional Research Group, a student initiative which provides an innovative and entrepreneurial approach to the professional development and support of graduate students.

4M National Panel on Current Issues in Peer Helping
National Panel on the current state of peer helping in Canada will discuss current issues and concerns and the future of peer helping.

session 5

Tuesday 1:00pm-2:30pm

Some sessions will continue in Session Six. Participants may attend one or both.

5A Borrowing Against Tomorrow: Panel on Student Debt Management
Panel discussion on student debt management with representatives of the Federal Government, BC Debtors Assistance Branch, Canadian Insolvency Practitioners Association, and a bank.

5B Drugs and Sports
Slide presentation and discussion on student athletes' drug use, including doping control procedures, and banned substances and their side effects.

5C Outreach Education Showcase, Part I (continues in session 6C)
Showcase of comprehensive outreach education models and strategies:
• Outreach Services: A Comprehensive University/College Model
• Counterattack: Fatal Accident (video presentation)
• Brock University is Talking About CHOICES
• Acquaintance Sexual Assault Program

5D Creating Systems to Manage Crisis Concerns
Presentation of models to help manage crisis situations, including strategies such as on-call, drop-in hours, intake, triage, peer support, and great flexibility.

5E The Latest and Greatest in Career Program Materials, Part I (continues in session 6E)
Multimedia, interactive demonstration on computerized career guidance systems, CD-ROM and Laserdisc resources, videos, workshop guides and handbooks, career assessment and testing instruments, and sources for resource centre materials.

5F Stalking on the College Campus: A Personal Perspective
Description of the personal experience of a doctoral student, focusing on policies and procedures, the criminal court system, and the availability of support services. Discussion will also address issues of victims' advocacy and institutional responses to facilitate effective and empathic interventions.

5G Working Together to Build Connections for First Nations Students
Panel discussion of a diversified approach to meeting the unique needs of First Nations students developed.

5H Generating Income for Student Services through Disabilities Offices
Discussion of strategies for Disabilities Offices to generate revenues.

5I Design and Floor Plans for Childcare
Discussion of areas of success and areas for improvement in design of childcare facilities. Sharing of floor plans for new programs at various post-secondary campuses throughout British Columbia.

5J If She Goes to your Room, She Must Want Sex, Part I (continues in session 6K)
Workshop introducing a variety of techniques used in a Peer Education Project For Men.

5K Student Rights and Responsibilities, Part I (continues in session 6L)
Discussion of student rights and responsibilities with brief presentations on such topics and issues as natural justice, Canadian post-secondary students and the law, code of student rights, and training student staff.

5L Peer-Tutoring Support Program for Students with Disabilities
Overview of a peer-tutoring support program for students with disabilities.

5M Performance Appraisals for Student Staff: Helping the Helper
Interactive presentation examining the development of "Minimum Standards" for student staff and their application.

5N La pertinence des programmes d'entraide et de sensibilisation animés par des pairs en ce qui concerne la prévention de la violence — The Relevance of Peer Helper and Awareness-Raising Programs in the Context of Preventing Violence
Brief presentation describing a peer helper program followed by group discussion of alternative perspectives and models.

5O Does Language Matter: French and English Students' Experiences Compared
Presentation of the results of a research project investigating the differences and similarities in experiences of students of French and English speaking origin at eight English-Canadian universities with particular emphasis on the minority issues inherent for French-origin students studying at these institutions. Discussion of the implications.

5P Web for Dummies (and Student Affairs and Services Professionals)
Hands-on introduction to the World Wide Web, including a tour of several student affairs and services Web sites.

session 6

Tuesday 3:00pm-4:30pm

Some sessions continue from Session Five. Participants may attend one or both.

6A Roundtable on Financial Aid Office Role in Student Loan and Debt Management

Two short presentations each followed by discussion, one on a post-secondary student loan debt counselling program and the other on entrance/exit interview process used in the United States.

6B Student Athletes: Special Needs Group or Privileged Elite?
Discussion on the daily life, inner world, and stresses and satisfactions of the student athlete.

6C Outreach Education Showcase (continued from session 5C)

6D Licenced to Thrill? Sexual Feelings behind Closed Doors: Revisiting the Call to Ethical Practice
In a safe context and through the use of vignettes, discussion, mini-lecture, and experiential exercises, participants will gain awareness and explore the contextual factors that may influence therapists' sexual feelings and responses, examine their reactions to sexual feelings, and develop and enhance ethical responsibility in self-monitoring.

6E The Latest and Greatest in Career Program Materials (continued from session 5E)

6F Respect and Openness on the "Net"
Presentation highlighting recent legal trends dealing with the issue of liability of information highway providers and to what extent universities must act in a proactive manner to ensure that the ideal of "openness" is balanced by a concern for "mutual respect."

6G Harassment Issues: Organizing and Implementing our First Harassment Awareness Program
Overview of a first harassment awareness program, including the development of a first Policy on Harassment and Sexual Harassment and associated materials.

6H Wellness and Learning: Understanding the Link between Health and Academic Success
Exploration of the dynamics of emotional, physical, spiritual, and physical health as they relate to academic success from a First

Nations' perspective. Panel will include a medicine woman, an Aboriginal Student Advisor, and a First Nations health professional.

6I Interprovincial Issues for Students with Disabilities
Discussion of issues for students with disabilities across Canada.

6J Coping with the Student in Crisis: a Student Services Workshop
Case study of a workshop developed to assist departmental faculty and staff in identifying and referring extraordinary cases to the appropriate student services unit(s).

6K If She Comes to your Room, She Must Want Sex (continued from session 5J)

6L Student Rights and Responsibilities (continued from session 5K)

6M Confidentiality Training for Work-Study Assistants and Peer Tutors at a University Counselling Centre
Overview and discussion of a workshop on training on confidentiality issues for work-study assistants and peer tutors in a post-secondary counselling centre.

6N Students Helping Students: an Exploration of the use of Peer Helping at a Counselling Service
Presentation on developing, coordinating, administering, and managing 35 student volunteer peer helpers. Followed by discussion.

6O Career Mentor Programs: A Cross-divisional Approach
Presentation describing a Career Mentor Program, jointly coordinated by a Counselling Service and Alumni Relations Office, highlighting the integral role peer helpers play in recruitment, assessment, and the matching process.

session 7

Wednesday 10:15am-11:45am

7A Getting the Message Out: Print and Electronic Media Workshop
Presentation by a university publications office on print and electronic media strategies, with emphasis on financial aid and awards information needs. Participants are encouraged to submit samples of financial aid and awards publications prior to the session for inclusion on a publications table.

7B Striking a Balance
Discussion of some of the factors which make us feel we are being pulled in too many directions, self-exploration, and suggestions for strategies to aid in the quest for a more balanced life.

7C Graduate Employment Project: How to get University Graduates Work
Presentation on the funding, advertising, programming, and politicking for an eight-week career planning and job-search skills program for unemployed or underemployed post-secondary graduates.

7D Proactive Programming through a Counselling Centre Credit Course
Description of the genesis, rationale, content, and process of developing a credit course titled "The Psychology of Personal Development: Strategies for University Students."

7E Eriksonian Hypnosis: a Cartography of Therapeutic Healing
Exploration of the fundamental questions regarding Eriksonian hypnosis. This presentation will shed light on the philosophical assumptions that are the bedrock of this creative, resource-oriented approach to client work.

7F BC Post-Secondary Counsellors' Symposium
Opportunity for British Columbia post-secondary counsellors to meet and discuss common interests and concerns.

7G The Review Process: between Tears and Laughter
Description and discussion of a recently completed student services review process, focusing on the results and recommendations.

7H Strategic Outreach for Long-term Recruitment of Native Students in the Maths and Sciences
Description of a Native Teachers' Science Camp to examine some strategic issues related to the long-term recruitment of Native students into the Maths and Sciences. Barriers to recruitment and strategies for addressing these will be explored in group discussion.

7I Keeping the Proverbial Foot Out of your Mouth: Training Skills
Presentation and discussion of tips on presenting, teaching strategies, and the use of technology in training students for paraprofessional and service roles.

7J Models for Disability Service Delivery
Presentation and discussion of a variety of models for the delivery of services to students with disabilities.

7K Utilizing Technologies to Enhance the Delivery of Student Services: a Case Study of the International Centre at Queens University

Review of strategies for using various technologies to enhance the development and delivery of programs and services.

7L Designing a "SSOCC" to Meet your Campus Outreach Needs

Presentation describing the Student Services Outreach Coordinating Committee (SSOCC), including examples of programs and activities generated by the Committee. Discussion of how such a committee might be established at other campuses will follow.

7M Open University/Open College On-line: Providing Services using Computer Conferencing

Overview of the BC Open University and Open College on-line computer conferencing system and how services were set up to support students. Discussion will include the planning process, services identified, implementation, difficulties, and feedback from students.

session 8

Wednesday 1:00pm-2:30pm

This session is devoted to cross-divisional case studies where student affairs and services professionals have reached the summit together. Participants will be actively engaged in interchange about a real or potential incident, situation, or issue.

8A Crisis: Brock Student Services' Response to Tragedy
Examination of responses to the tragic deaths of two students. Discussion will culminate with group determination of general guidelines and principles for responding to similar situations.

8B The New Professional
Focus on the issues and concerns new professionals face, with emphasis on how new professionals and their supervisors can work together.

8C Developmental Understandings
Examination of the behaviours of a hypothetical student from the perspective of selected student development theories.

8D The First Year Experience
Responses to a first year student's experience, with emphasis on alternate strategies to enhance the student experience and sharing of resources on current research, strategies, services, and programs.

8E Accommodations for Students with Disabilities
Discussion of several situations involving students with disabilities which include student services and academic departments in their resolution.

session 9

Wednesday 3:00pm-4:30pm

9A CACUSS President's Forum
Meet incoming CACUSS President Pam Broley and members of the CACUSS Executive and Board of Directors at this open forum. Bring your questions, concerns, and comments about CACUSS and its future. Additional sessions will be capstone discussion groups on each of the characteristics of community which formed daily themes for CACUSS '96.

9B "Purposeful" Discussion Group: Developing Purpose in Student Affairs and Services

9C: "Open" Discussion Group: Accessibility to Post-secondary Education

9D "Just" Discussion Group: Performance Indicators and Outcomes Assessment

9E "Disciplined" Discussion Group: Student Rights and Responsibilities

9F "Caring" Discussion Group: Moral Development of Students

9G "Celebrative" Discussion Group: Leadership

trail blazers

Want a Mentor? Like to be a Mentor?

If you'd like a "seasoned" CACUSS member to show you the ropes and share insights into our profession...or if you'd like to give something back to the profession by helping someone interested in finding out more about CACUSS and student affairs and services—here's your chance!

Request a mentor or offer to be a mentor by filling out the appropriate section on the registration form and attaching a one-paragraph description on your background and interests. More information will follow once we receive your registration!

CACUSS '96 Orientation

Calling all participants new to CACUSS. In a brief, informal, high-energy session, we will help all new faces to CACUSS with understanding the multitude of program sessions, activities, volunteer, and social offerings of this Conference...as well as giving you insight into the Association itself. Join us on June 16 and make the most of your trip to CACUSS.

CACUSS '96 Volunteers!

We invite all CACUSS '96 participants and supporting institutions to sign on with the CACUSS '96 effort and volunteer. There are multiple opportunities for you to get involved. You can get behind the scenes of the conference, share some exciting times with new friends, and connect with student services professionals and colleagues from across the country.

Make an impact at this conference and leave the Conference knowing so much more about SFU Burnaby Mountain Campus, Vancouver, and each other! Let us know you'll lend a hand by filling out the appropriate section on the registration form. Besides...t-shirts are always a bonus.

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Keep in Touch on the Net!

Last minute changes will happen!
Keep up to date with the current CACUSS news by visiting our home page at <http://www.sfu.ca/student-services/cacuss96.html>

side trails

Sunday 16th

Monday 17th

Wednesday 19th

We hope the following detours before and after the CACUSS '96 Conference will either get you set for your upcoming journey or refresh you once you're at the top! A multitude of water, mountain, and cultural side trips are available during pre- and post-conference dates. These include fine dining on Grouse Mountain overlooking Vancouver city lights, a relaxing Brunch Cruise featuring spectacular views, or a steam train ride into the mountains—each opportunity will leave you feeling more connected to the West Coast!

Once we've reached the summit, a myriad of adventure awaits us. Our conference events offer a variety of activities, from merengue dancing on pub night to dining under the sails.

Saturday 15th

North Vancouver Sightseeing Tour 9:00am-2:00pm
A five-hour tour of the spectacular sights of the North Shore, including Stanley Park, the Capilano Suspension Bridge, and lunch at Grouse Mountain.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus and lift tickets are included. Lunch is extra.

\$45 Cdn per person

Whistler Day Excursion 8:30am-5:00pm
Enjoy the scenic drive along the Sea-to-Sky highway to spend the day in North America's premier all-season resort community. Travel via high-speed chairlift to the top of Whistler Mountain and take in the magnificent view. Five hours of free time at Whistler to shop and explore the village.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus and lift tickets are included. Lunch is extra.

\$50 Cdn per person

Victoria and Butchart Gardens 7:30am-8:00pm
This 13-hour guided tour includes the scenic ferry ride through the Gulf Islands to Vancouver Island, an overview of historic downtown Victoria, capital of British Columbia, and the world-famous Butchart Gardens.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus and all admissions are included. Lunch is extra.

\$80 Cdn per person

Grouse Mountain Dinner 6:30pm-10:00pm
Experience the Grouse Mountain skyride to the mountain top plateau and enjoy the magnificent view while you dine at Grouse Nest (three-course dinner, chicken or salmon).

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus, skyride ticket, and dinner with coffee or tea are included.

\$46 Cdn per person

Sightseeing Tour of Vancouver 9:00am-1:00pm
Highlights of this four-hour guided tour include visits to Gastown, Chinatown, Stanley Park (with stops at the Totem Poles and Prospect Point), spectacular views of the city at Queen Elizabeth Park, and Granville Island.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus is included. Lunch is extra.

\$30 Cdn per person

Sunday Brunch Cruise 8:00am-1:30pm
Enjoy a four-hour harbour cruise between False Creek and Coal Harbour with views of the North Shore mountains, Stanley Park, and the city's downtown.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus is included.

\$60 Cdn per person

North Vancouver Sightseeing Tour 9:00am-2:00pm
(See description under Saturday's listings.) \$45 Cdn per person

CACUSS Best Ball Golf Tournament 10:30am
Meadow Gardens Golf Course
Pitt Meadows

This tournament is designed for golfers of any skill. Registration is required by April 22. Send your golf registration form directly to:

Tammy Blackwell
Health Services
Simon Fraser University
Burnaby, BC V5A 1S6
email: tblackwe@sfu.ca

\$75 Cdn per person includes golf fees, snacks along the course, and prizes.

SASA Annual T-shirt Exchange
Once again the annual t-shirt exchange will be held following the SASA Annual General Meeting on Sunday, June 16. Bring along your institution's best creation and begin the bargaining!

West Coast Welcome: Salmon Barbecue 6:30pm
Join us for a fine West Coast and CACUSS '96 welcome at the Salmon Barbecue at Burnaby Mountain's Simon Fraser University campus. Dress is casual. Cost is included in the conference fee; extra tickets are available at \$25 Cdn per person.

An Evening at the Aquarium
Buses leave SFU Burnaby Mountain campus at 6:00pm, dinner 7:00pm

You will have a unique underwater experience at the Vancouver Aquarium nestled in the exquisite nature preserve of Stanley Park. Dine and mingle in the company of over 8,000 amazing animals in an exclusive setting. Cost is included in the conference fee, extra tickets are available at \$45 Cdn per person.

Tuesday 18th

Free Evening to Explore Vancouver
This night you're on your own to explore the many outstanding restaurants in the Lower Mainland or eat on campus. Information on "where to go" will be provided at the CACUSS Centre.

Volleyball Extravaganza! 7:30pm
Volleyball players at all skill levels will face some fast-paced fun. All "team CACUSS" participants will rotate in the gym, to the pool (optional), to the field, and finally to the walleyball courts. Be sure to pack your gym gear and bathing suit! Sign up at the CACUSS Centre; registration is \$5 per person.

Fiesta Pub Night 9:00pm-1:00am
To help you recover from the activities of this power-house day is a Fiesta Pub night, right on the SFU Burnaby Mountain campus. Come listen to the live sounds of merengue and salsa, dip into some guacamole, and unwind in the exciting new rooftop Pub! Information on the local pub scene will be available at the CACUSS Centre.

Executive Challenge 4:30pm
Once again, the Executive Challenge will take on a "fine and dignified form." We cannot reveal any more except to say that this event is one not to miss!

Under the Sails
Buses leave SFU Burnaby Mountain campus at 5:30pm, dinner at 7:00pm

Later on Wednesday night, CACUSS '96 will call to port at the Vancouver Trade and Convention Centre—"under the sails"—where we'll dine in royal style before casting off for CACUSS '97 on the East Coast. Semi-formal attire suggested. Cost is included in the conference fee, extra tickets are available at \$55 Cdn per person.

Thursday 20th

Royal Hudson Rail Tour to Squamish 8:30am-4:30pm
Experience the genuine steam-powered Royal Hudson excursion that will take you on a shore-hugging daytrip that's packed with one magnificent sight after another.

Round-trip transfer from SFU Burnaby Mountain campus is included. Lunch is extra.

\$80 Cdn per person

Whistler Day Excursion 8:30am-5:00pm
(See description under Saturday's listings.) Please note that this tour does not include the chairlift ride as it does not run on Thursdays.

\$50 Cdn per person

Victoria and Butchart Gardens 7:30am-8:00pm
(See description under Saturday's listings.) \$80 Cdn per person



Vancouver Harbour

Events highlighted are included in your conference fee.

Please note: we need 20 participants for each tour. If an event is cancelled, fees will be refunded on site.

expedition notes

registration

If you are staying on campus, go directly to McTaggart-Cowan Hall to the Accommodations Office. There you will be able to get your room keys, parking pass, and registration materials. To get information regarding excursions, check out the job board, purchase extra tickets for events, sign up for volleyball, obtain fitness passes, and receive general information, head to the CACUSS Centre located in the Exhibit Hall, 4th floor, West Mall Complex.

If you are staying off campus or are attending CACUSS as a day registrant, you may pick up your registration materials at the following locations:

Saturday, June 15 and Sunday, June 16
CACUSS Centre, WMX
8:30am-6:00 pm

Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18
Images Theatre, AQ
8:00am-10:00am

CACUSS Centre, WMX
10:30 am-6:00pm

Wednesday, June 19
Images Theatre, AQ
8:00am-10:00am

CACUSS Centre, WMX
10:30am-12:00noon

general

No Smoking Policy
Simon Fraser University is a nonsmoking campus; smoking is prohibited in all buildings including the residences.

Access Issues
If you require accommodations due to a disability, please outline your request on your registration form. All conference activities at SFU are in wheelchair-accessible facilities. Additional information on services provided may be obtained by contacting Eileen Lennox at (604) 291-3112 (lennox@sfu.ca).

Airport Transportation
Upon arriving at the Vancouver International Airport, look for the CACUSS Kiosk/Reception Desk located on Level II of domestic arrivals. Here we'll try to help you meet CACUSS travellers to share taxi fare to SFU Burnaby Mountain Campus.

Simultaneous Interpretation
Simultaneous french-language translation will be available for the CACUSS Annual General Meeting and the Plenary Session.

The Summit
Our daily newsletter will be available each morning during the conference. Copies will be available at the Accommodations Office and at the CACUSS Centre.

Dress and Weather
Dress for the conference is casual with the exception of the closing banquet, which is semi-formal. While we have ordered beautiful weather during the conference and almost all campus locations may be reached under cover, you are advised to pack an umbrella. Also, bring a sweater or jacket with you because it can cool down at night.

Athletic Facilities
Access to the pool, gym, squash courts, racquetball courts and equipment is available at \$3.00 per day or \$21 for a week's pass. Passes are available at the CACUSS Centre.

Parking
For those of you who are not staying on campus, parking is available in the Visitor's Parkade for \$4.50/day. Show your CACUSS nametag to the Parkade attendant upon exiting the Parkade to qualify for these reduced rates.

Conference Bags
A conference bag will not be provided this year. If you prefer carrying your conference materials in a bag, please bring one from home.

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Sunday, June 16		Monday, June 17 Purposeful, Open, Just		Tuesday, June 18 Disciplined, Caring, Celebrative		Wednesday, June 19 Synthesis	
8:30	Pre-conference Workshops	Welcome & Introductions		8:30	Announcements	Announcements	8:30
8:45		Keynote Speaker: Sharon Wood		8:45	Divisional Featured Speakers	Featured Speaker: Roslyn Kunin	8:45
9:45		BREAK		9:45	BREAK	BREAK	9:45
10:15		Session 1 (1.5 hours)		10:15	Session 4 (1.5 hours)	Session 7 (1.5 hours)	10:15
11:45		LUNCH		11:45	LUNCH	LUNCH	11:45
1:00	Conference Committee Meeting	Session 2 (1 hour)		1:00	Session 5 (1.5 hours)	Case Studies (1.5 hours)	1:00
2:00		BREAK		2:00	BREAK	BREAK	2:00
2:30		Session 3 (1 hour)		2:30	BREAK	BREAK	2:30
3:00		CACUSS '96 Orientation Program		3:00	Session 6 (1.5 hours)	President's Forum Discussion Groups	3:00
3:30		CACUSS Annual General Meeting		3:30	Free Night	Executive Challenge Free Time	3:30
4:30	CACUSS '96 Opening Reception	Free Time		4:30	Free Night	Executive Challenge Free Time	4:30
5:00		Free Time		5:00	Free Night	Executive Challenge Free Time	5:00
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